

# BIG SANDY NEWS.

FRIDAY, OCT. 12, 1903.

Bad as the Town Fellows.  
The more the honest farmer packs  
His apples up to town,  
This is the top row in the sacks  
O O O O O O O  
And this is farther down  
O O O O O O O

For Branding Hammers address J. W. Ratliff, Hickman, Ky.

Fine Bulk Pickles at Sullivan's.  
Fresh fruit constantly on hands  
at Robt. Burchett's.

Try Sullivan's eighteen cent bulk  
coffee 10c.

Luther M. Walter is at home  
from Washington for the election.  
Fresh bread every day at Sullivan's.

For shoes, hats, clothing and under-  
wear go to G. V. Meek.

Ohio Butterine on sale at Sullivan's.

Mr. and Mrs. F. T. D. Wallace,  
Jr., are expected home tomorrow.

Ginger bread like Grandmother  
used to bake, at the Louisa Bakery.

Fresh Grapes and Pears at Sullivan's.

Milk cow for sale. Apply to W.  
D. O'Neal, Louisa.

Brownie rolls that are "up to  
now" at the Louisa Bakery.

If you want fresh groceries you  
should buy from Robt. Burchett.

Mr. P. C. Turner and bride arrived  
here last Friday evening and  
are quartered at the Brunswick.

Have you seen those delicious  
Doughnuts at the Louisa Bakery?

The Louisa Band went to Inez  
Saturday and played for a Re-  
publican rally.

Now is the time to invest in  
Louisa lots, and F. L. Stewart has  
some good ones for sale.

Cream Puffs that are fit for a  
Queen's table at the Louisa  
Bakery.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Frank  
Marum, of Ceredo, W. Va. Oct. 18  
1903, an 8 lb. son.

Tread, cakes, pies and every-  
thing that makes life worth living,  
at the Louisa Bakery.

Mr. H. S. Irwin made a Republi-  
can speech in the court house in  
Louisa yesterday.

Jelly rolls that would make a  
man leave his happy home—at  
the Louisa Bakery.

Major D. J. Burchett has been  
sick for several days at the home  
of his daughter, Mrs. J. D. Biggs.

Don't miss Drew Selby & Co's.  
ladies fine shoes. Reduced \$2.00  
and \$2.50. A. J. Loar & Co.

For SALE—Pony, pony buggy,  
cart and boy's saddle. Inquire at  
Brunswick Hotel.

A new line of clothing has just  
been put on sale at D. Brown &  
Co's.

Miss Lizzie Preston, daughter of  
Henry, who has been sick for quite  
a while, is very much worse this  
week.

See our up-to-date line of Ladies  
Jackets and Capes before you buy.  
If you don't, you will lose money.  
G. V. Meek.

A laundry foreman of long ex-  
perience has been employed to  
take charge of the new Crystal  
Steam Laundry at this place.

The first snow of the season fell  
here last Saturday morning. Those  
who were out in the early morning  
noticed a light fall of flakes.

Look at Krippendorff, Dittman &  
Co's, ladies' custom-made fine  
shoes, famous for fit, wear and du-  
rability. A. J. Loar & Co.

W. M. Stone and family will  
move into the Jones property  
just across the street from their  
present place of residence.

FOR SALE—24 horse power en-  
gine and 5-horse boiler, cheap.  
Have just been put into first class  
condition. Apply to James Compton,  
Husseyville.

Mrs. John Arnett, sister of J. H.  
Cooper, of this place, died of con-  
sumption at her home in Magoffin  
county last week.

NEW RESTAURANT—First class  
cook, prompt service. Meals all  
hours. Near depot.

E. B. Fitch, Prop.

In honor of her sixteenth birth-  
day Miss Minnie Caines entertain-  
ed a number of her young friends  
Wednesday evening.

New line of the nicest and latest  
styles in all kinds of dry goods.  
Come and see before you buy some-  
where else.

D. Brown & Co.

Just received from New York  
City the latest line of millinery  
ever brought to Louisa. Latest  
styles and lowest prices guaran-  
teed.

G. V. Meek.

Walter Riley and Miss Clara  
Cooksey, a pretty lass of sixteen,  
both from Oliveville, this county,  
were united in marriage at Ironton  
a few days ago.

# BIG RALLY AT LOUISA.

Gov. Beckham and party are due  
here Friday morning (10th) at 9:35,  
and a large crowd will be at the  
station to greet them. The speak-  
ing will take place at the intersec-  
tion of Main and Railroad streets.  
After the departure of the train  
Hon. Will Young will speak at the  
court house, and it is probable that  
another speaker or two will be  
heard on this occasion.

Gov. Beckham's speech will nec-  
essarily be brief. He will be intro-  
duced by one of the U. S. Senators  
from Kentucky—Blackburn or Mc-  
Creary. This is Gov. Beckham's  
first visit to Louisa.

## STRONG TESTIMONY.

Three persons who have bought  
watches here lately said they  
found our prices to be less than  
those of dealers at other places,  
and that is why they made the  
purchases here. Our watch prices  
have always been down to the  
lowest notch. Recently an order  
was sent us from Alabama for a  
watch; another came from a point  
265 miles distant. Watches are  
our "leaders". We now have a  
larger stock and greater variety  
than ever before. At small profits  
the stock must be "turned" often.  
Come in and help turn it and at  
the same time save yourself  
money. Conley's Store.

Mrs. A. M. Campbell received a  
telegram Sunday from her husband  
at Charleston, W. Va., announcing  
the death of his mother at that  
place. He was called to her bed-  
side Saturday. She had been an  
invalid for many years. Mrs. A.  
M. Campbell went to Charleston  
Monday.

The Charleston Mail says:  
Mrs. Mary P. Campbell, wife of  
the late Albert H. Campbell, died  
at the home of Mrs. J. B. Noyes  
on Morris street, early Sunday  
morning.

Mrs. Campbell was 74 years of  
age, but had been an invalid for  
eleven years. All of her years pre-  
vious to her invalidism had been  
spent in good work; she was kind  
to all, giving and doing much for  
charitable institutions, and it can  
be said about Mrs. Campbell that  
whoever came in contact with her  
always felt benefited in some way  
by the beautiful nature of this  
saintly old lady.

She leaves two sons to mourn  
her.

The funeral service will take  
place at the Episcopal church to-  
night at eight o'clock. Rev. Dr.  
D. Roller officiating. The body of  
her late husband, whose tempo-  
rary interment took place in Ravens-  
wood, will be brought to this city  
and the wife and husband will both  
be taken to Richmond, Va., and be  
laid away, side by side, in the fam-  
ily grounds there.

Boscom, son of James K. Rice,  
of Fallsburg, shot Tony Malatesta,  
an Italian contractor, last Saturday  
evening at Fuller Station, five  
miles north of Louisa. The ball  
passed through the man's neck,  
but did not reach a vital part and  
is not serious. Rice surrendered to  
the officers and was before Judge  
Vinson Wednesday. The examin-  
ing trial was set for Nov. 5, and  
Rice gave bond in the sum of \$500.

The shooting occurred just after  
Rice arrived on the train. Mala-  
testa was at the station when the  
train reached there. It seems that  
the men had previously had trouble  
and it was renewed on this oc-  
casion. Rice claims he fired the  
shot in self defense.

A son was born to Mr. and Mrs.  
W. O. Pierce last Friday, and on  
Sunday night it died. The parents  
are the recipients of much sym-  
pathy. This was their first son  
and they were very proud of the  
little fellow.

The body was taken to Salt Lick,  
Bath county, for interment in the  
family burial grounds.

Much to the regret of the other  
members of the Board of Trustees  
of the new Sandy Valley Sem-  
inary at Paintsville, Rev. Dr.  
Zephaniah Meek has resigned  
from that body. He was chair-  
man and a meeting has been called  
for Nov. 5th by Judge H. B. Rice,  
Secretary, at which time the vacan-  
cy will be filled.

Charley Keyser, eldest son of Ben  
Keyser, and Miss Carrie Shannon,  
who recently moved to this city,  
went to Ironton this morning and  
were married—Cattlettsburg Press.  
The bride is the oldest daughter  
of J. A. Shannon. Her many  
friends here wish her happiness  
and prosperity.

C. L. Williams, of Boyd, and J.  
W. Lusby, of Carter, spoke to large  
audiences at Fallsburg, East Fork,  
Webbville and Twin Branch this  
week, and their services were much  
appreciated. Both are excellent  
speakers and they aroused much  
enthusiasm.

Simon Bartlett took two of his  
grandchildren to Louisville last  
week to place them in the Masonic  
Widows' and Orphans' Home.  
Their parents are both dead. They  
are the children of Clark Mead.

Will Snow, formerly of Louisa,  
got his hand caught in a cog wheel  
on a trimmer in a saw mill operat-  
ed by C. L. Ritter, at Clay C. H.,  
Saturday last, lacerating his hand  
considerably.

# Lecture Friday Evening.

The first number of the Louisa  
Public Lecture Course will be  
given at the Opera House Friday  
evening, at 8:00 o'clock, sun. time.  
It will consist of an original adap-  
tion of "Mrs. Wiggs of the Cabbage  
Patch," a very popular Kentucky  
story, which is brim full of life and  
humor. Miss Ellen James, who is  
to give this monologue, is one of  
the most charming readers before  
the public. So great is her ability  
to enter into the lives of the char-  
acters she portrays; so keen and  
original is her sense of humor; so  
easy and natural her movement;  
and so winning is her personality  
that never yet has she entertained  
an audience with "Mrs. Wiggs of  
the Cabbage Patch" without being  
asked for a return date.

The committee have arranged  
this course solely for the entertain-  
ment of the public. Any money  
remaining after paying the ex-  
penses of the first number will be  
spent in making the next number  
even more attractive if possible.  
Whether the course is continued  
will depend on the encouragement  
and support of the people of Lou-  
isa.

Tickets are on sale at Mr. Con-  
ley's book store, where also is the  
plat for reserved seats. General  
admission will be twenty-five cents,  
reserved seats ten cents extra.  
Children will be admitted for  
fifteen cents. About thirty seats  
at the front will be reserved for  
children at twenty-five cents each.

## To the Voters of Floyd County.

I do not as a rule, approve of a  
circular campaign, but I think it  
my duty to the Democrats of Floyd  
County to inform them of the  
facts in the case that J. L. Spur-  
lock is trying to make out against  
me. In his "What is he?" circular,  
he tries to make it appear that I  
wrote the letter to Wm. Dingess  
for the purpose of defeating Sam  
Hearford.

Now Mr. Spurlock knows full  
well why I wrote that letter and  
he also knows I did all I could to  
elect Hearford.

The purpose of the letter, was to  
keep the Republicans from mak-  
ing any nomination till it was too  
late to get their man on the ticket.  
Mr. Hearford and A. K. Hatcher  
his chief adviser, knew the letter  
was to be written and in fact were  
parties to the scheme.

All I desire in this connection is  
to have any who are in doubt in  
this matter ask either Sam Hear-  
ford, A. K. Hatcher or D. H. Gib-  
son what the facts are in the case.

Mr. Spurlock is doubtless  
prompted to take the course he  
has, from the fact that I worked  
so hard against him in Floyd  
County, and John and Judge Mar-  
lin, my brothers, in Knott County.

I want the support of all the  
voters in Floyd County and I  
want to say to you now, if you  
elect me to this office, you will  
have a sober man for Clerk of the  
Circuit Court.

A. L. MARTIN,  
Minnie, Ky., Oct. 20, 1903.

## Hon. J. A. Scott Here.

One of the best campaign speech-  
es ever made here was that of Hon.  
James Andrew Scott, one of Ken-  
tucky's best known lawyers, at the  
court house Wednesday afternoon.

The large court room was well filled  
and the crowd was very enthu-  
siastic. A number of ladies were  
present.

Mr. Scott's speech was a fair,  
clear presentation of the Demo-  
cratic issues and position, told in a  
most forcible and impressive man-  
ner.

Being so near the big rally to be  
held today (Friday), it was not ex-  
pected that a large crowd would be  
present at Mr. Scott's speech, but  
the managers were very agreeably  
surprised by having a good attend-  
ance.

Dry salt bacon ..... 94c lb  
Smoked bacon ..... 104c lb  
Arbuckle coffee ..... 10c pkg  
XXXX coffee ..... 9c pkg  
2 lbs keg soda ..... 5c  
1200 matches for ..... 5c  
All solid leather shoes a special-  
ty. Prices below the other fellow.  
G. V. MECK.

Mr. and Mrs. Herr, of Pittsburg,  
Mr. and Mrs. Crawford, of Ironton,  
Capt. Jeff Jenkins and wife, and  
Hon. Mordecai Williams and wife  
of Cattlettsburg, were guests of the  
Hazelton household at this place  
Monday. The occasion was the  
70th birthday of Mr. G. L. Hazel-  
ton's father.

## Men Wanted.

Fifty men wanted at once to  
work on railroad.

KISSER & McCLOSKEY,  
Kinross, Ky.

Zek Wilson fell last week and  
broke his leg again where it was  
broken before, making a very se-  
rious condition. He was laid up  
several months with the first in-  
jury.

Dennis Smith has been lodged  
in jail here charged with being  
one of the men who robbed the  
stores and postoffices of Sweetman  
and Sturgill, on Brushy, recently.

The battleship Missouri attained  
a speed of 18.7 knots an hour on  
trial trip, which is the world's re-  
cord for a vessel of her class.

# From Mr. Sheridan.

To the Voters of the 98th Legis-  
lative District of Kentucky:  
Upon being honored by the  
Democratic party with nomination  
as its candidate to represent the  
counties of Boyd and Lawrence in  
the next General Assembly of the  
State of Kentucky, I intended to go  
over the District for the purpose  
of extending my acquaintance and  
doing what I could in my humble  
way to further the interest of my  
candidacy.

I am a laborer, and my engage-  
ment to my employers and the  
necessity of laborers and the con-  
tinued inability of my employers  
to supply my place has occasioned  
my disappointment in seeing the  
people. But my interest in their  
success is not abated. I am anx-  
ious to be elected and be of what  
service I can to the district and  
the cause of the people.

My home is among the people  
who are to choose their representa-  
tive. I am one of you and like  
most of you think the people  
should have one of their own citi-  
zens, not a resident of the Blue  
Grass, to represent them. I am  
not a man of wealth seeking alone  
the honor of representing a people  
after ceasing to cast my lot among  
them, but a man that earns his  
living under the divinely placed  
conditions "by the sweat of his  
brow," and being one of you and  
having your interests at heart, I  
give you the assurance that, though  
I may not be able to see you all,  
I shall be doing all I can to make  
our cause victorious, and if elected  
serve you and your interest to the  
best of my ability.

I therefore trust that every voter  
will consider well our cause in  
going to the polls on the 3rd day  
of November, and casting his  
vote. If the people stand together  
we can have one of our own num-  
ber for representative.

I humbly call upon you for  
your support.

THOMAS A. SHERIDAN,  
Ashland, Ky., Oct. 26, 1903.

## Keeps the People Guessing.

While it is generally conceded  
that the Deepwater railway com-  
pany will build a line of road through  
this section of the state and through  
the southern part of this county,  
yet there is much mystery connect-  
ed with the matter. The question  
of who owns the contemplated road  
or who will own it when it has  
been completed is being discussed  
in all quarters. A survey has been  
completed through Fayette, Raleigh,  
Wyoming and Mingo counties.  
In making the survey the greatest  
pains has been taken by the  
engineers and the survey has  
been made perfect even to the min-  
utest detail. Some claim that the  
new road is to become a branch of  
the new main Wabash system.  
Others that the N. & W. will take  
possession upon its completion.  
This is not of so much interest to  
the people as the fact that the road  
is now an assured fact and that a  
hitherto unknown and undeveloped  
wilderness of natural wealth  
will be thrown open to the world.  
—Mingo (W. Va.) Democrat.

## DAVISVILLE.

Some report that they have bet-  
ter corn than they thought they  
had.

J. M. Lyon and Farris Daniels  
passed here Sunday for Hunting-  
ton. They are new merchants of  
Winfield.

Amos Davis visited home folks  
Sunday.

Wm. Clevinger has gone to W.  
Va. to work on the railroad.

Lee Pack and wife spent Sunday  
with B. F. Burgess and wife.

The mail route from Davisville  
to Wilbur will be discontinued  
Nov. 7th. Davisville will be sup-  
plied by the Blaine to Paintsville  
route. This will make it a great  
deal more convenient to the public.

W. H. Stone was calling on our  
merchants Monday.

Funeral services at Ralph Caudill's  
Saturday and Sunday; also,  
at Wm. Ramey's Monday, conducted  
by Rev. John R. Caudill.

Uncle Tol.

## FALLSBURG.

Mr. Williams and W. J. Lusby  
both made good speeches here to-  
day to an attentive audience of  
ladies and gentlemen and I think  
gave very good reasons why every-  
body ought to vote the Demo-  
cratic ticket.

Wm. Austin was coming down  
the hill into Fallsburg with a load  
of lumber on his wagon when the  
rub-lock gave away, the wagon  
ran onto the horses and they ran  
away and upset the wagon break-  
ing one of William's legs. Drs.  
Rice and Carter were there in a  
very few minutes.

Everybody here will try to get  
there to hear Beckham speak.

There has been considerable ex-  
citement and talk about what oc-  
curred at Fallers station a few  
days ago when Bascom Rice and  
an Italian had a shooting scrape.  
I don't think either one of them  
would like to have everybody know  
what they were fighting about.

All the school teachers antici-  
pate a good time here next Sat-  
urday and all of us think the discus-  
sion will be interesting. Every-  
body is invited to attend and  
hear the speakers on both sides of  
that important question.

Come to Fallsburg and see the  
Odd Fellows Hall. U. E. S.

# PERSONALS.

C. T. Rule was in Cincinnati this  
week.

M. J. Webb, of Greenup, spent  
Sunday in Louisa.

Jake Rice, of Huntington, was in  
Louisa Wednesday.

Miss Ida Billups returned Mon-  
day from a visit in Huntington.

M. H. Thompson, of O'Keefe, W.  
Va., was here last week visiting  
relatives.

Miss Belle Jones, of Sweetwater,  
Tennessee, is the guest of Mr. and  
Mrs. G. R. Vinson.

Mr. and Mrs. D. J. Burchett, Jr.,  
and Miss Grace Ferguson were in  
Huntington Tuesday.

Miss Edith Marcum, of Ceredo,  
W. Va., is the guest of Mrs. W. D.  
O'Neal and Dr. F. D. Marcum.

Mrs. W. M. Byington, of Pres-  
tonsburg, and Mrs. E. Lockwood,  
of Fort Gay, were in Louisa yester-  
day.

James Ratcliff, of Cincinnati,  
was here over Sunday the guest of  
his sister, Mrs. Robt. Burchett.  
He went on to Pikeville Monday  
to visit relatives.

J. R. Lyons, of Lynchburg, Va.  
Walter Gardner, of Charleston, W.  
Va. and C. O. McDougle, of Catletts-  
burg, traveling salesmen, were in  
Louisa over Sunday.

## Notice to Shoe Wearers.

Mr. Edw. Franken, representing  
the Potter Shoe Co., will be at the  
Brunswick Hotel on Nov. 4th and  
5th, with a full line of samples of  
men's women's and children's foot-  
wear. A cordial invitation is ex-  
tended to the people of Louisa and  
vicinity to call and examine them  
during that time.

POTTER SHOE CO., Cincinnati, O.

## VESSIE.

Farmers are done sowing wheat  
and some are gathering corn.  
Mrs. Samantha Shortridge and  
daughter Ida and Vannie, have  
been visiting friends and relatives  
at Webbville the past week.  
Rodman Yates, a leading citizen in  
this part of the county, has moved  
to W. Va. His many friends  
wish him success in his new home.  
John Land will move to W.  
Va. this week. C. T. Miller was  
in Ashland and Catlettsburg this  
week on business. V. B. Short-  
ridge went to Webbville Sunday.  
He says he is working seven  
days of the week buying cattle,  
sheep, hogs, and talking politics.  
Alfred Sexton will go to Ohio  
this week.

Miss Dovie Belcher, of Ratcliff  
visited friends here last week.

Misses Minnie and Sullie and Mr.  
Davis Martin, of Ivory, were the  
guests of Stella Cunningham from  
Friday until Sunday.

Mrs. Kittle Jordan has been  
very sick for several days but is  
convalescing at this writing.

On last Sunday the neighbors  
hearing an unusually loud noise,  
thought that something serious  
was the matter and a large number  
running into Hiram Jordan's found  
him in the back yard with his  
head in an empty barrel, hollow-  
ing at the top of his voice, pap, pap.  
On inquiry it was found that he  
and Mrs. Jordan were the happy  
recipients of a big girl. All doing  
well. Sykes.

## THOMAS.

There is preaching Sunday at  
Bacon Chapel. Several funerals  
to be attended to.

We are sorry to say that Maud  
Simpson is very low with fever  
and not expected to live.

Hayes McCoy was calling on  
home folks Sunday.

We are glad to say that Nettie  
Burchett, who has been very low  
with fever, is able to be out again.

H. W. McCoy and wife were  
visitors at Moses Blackburn's Sun-  
day.

Lacy Casady left Friday for  
Cattlettsburg.

Miss Gay McCoy visited Miss  
Annie L. Gose Sunday.

Bill Scaif, of Guilmore, was a  
visitor at Mel Gose's Sunday.

Lacy Casady purchased a fine  
saddle horse of Geo. Kindrick a  
few days ago—Lacy says he don't  
intend to work any more.

Bessie Leslie, of John, was visit-  
ing her aunt Mrs. Vicy Taylor,  
recently.

T. J. Roop and Walker Scott re-  
turned Friday from Catlettsburg.  
Manerva Priest was a visitor at  
W. E. McCoy's Sunday.

W. W. McCoy is very busy gath-  
ering corn.

Miss Laura McCoy, of Pleasant,  
was over Thursday.

Several of the boys were busy  
with Squire Dameron Saturday  
dressed to account for bad behavior.

Well, as East Point, failed to  
show up last week, I guess we will  
have to send her one of our new-  
ly letters.

Miss Dixie Maynard visited her  
grand parents in Martin county  
last week.

The office is crowded at Thomas  
on Saturday, all anxious to receive  
this paper. They think there is  
no paper like the News.

What has become of Big Rock  
and Sylvester?  
Guess Who.



**You can't do better anywhere.**

You can find our assortment only in large cities, but you pay more.

Ladies Jackets, black, castor, royal blues and tans; all wool, lined with mercerized sateen; loose back and front. Nothing but the very latest in style shown. Novelty box coats of Oxford grey, all wool zibeline—with or without collar. All styles carried in Misses as well as Ladies. Childrens short jackets and long cloaks, red, blues, castor and tans, all sizes.



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